



# **U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS BALTIMORE DISTRICT Raystown Lake Project**

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## **NEWS RELEASE**

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### **Corps of Engineers to initiate prescribed burns on federal land**

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers at Raystown Lake is providing notice of controlled burn activities on federal property tentatively scheduled between May 12 and 20 dependent upon appropriate weather.

The goals of the project are to reduce fuels, improve wildlife habitat and enhance regeneration of oak seedlings. A demonstration area of about 5 acres will be burned. The area is located along the Susquehannock Road, just off of Bakers Hollow Road in Penn Township.

A prescribed fire and safety plan has been completed for the project. All precautions will be taken to ensure public safety.

For more information, contact Heather Huston at 814-658-6809.

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